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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Sir:

This is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated June 25, 2004 and having a shortened statutory period for reply set to expire on July 25, 2004. Applicant submits the following corrected amendment to the claims section in which the proper status identifier has been added to Claim 7.

Respectfully submitted,

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